GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
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Funds Allocated for ITI
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Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

(a) whether there has been delay in releasing funds to the State Governments for setting up/upgradation of ITIs and if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and

(b) whether any anomalies/discrepancies have been found in purchase of equipments/machineries at these ITIs and if so, the details of action taken against the persons/institutions flouting the rules?

Answer

(a) Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship is assisting State Governments for upgradation/establishment of ITIs through various schemes as given below. The funds are released to States/UTs in installments and subsequent installment is released based on the utilisation of earlier released funds by the States/UTs.

1. Skill Development in 47 Districts Affected by Left Wing Extremism − The scheme envisages establishment of 47 Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) in 47 districts affected by Left Wing Extremism in 10 States. An amount of Rs. 129.53crore (includes75% Central and 25% State share) has been released for the purpose.
2. Enhancing Skill Development Infrastructure in NE States & Sikkim − The scheme envisages establishment of 22 new ITIs, establishment of 3 new trades in each of 20 existing ITIs and supplementing old and obsolete tools and equipment in each of 28 existing ITIs in 8 North Eastern States. An amount of Rs. 143.33crore (includes 90% Central and 10% State share for new ITIs only, other parts are 100% Centrally funded) has been released for the purpose.
3. Externally Aided Project (EAP) - World Bank assisted Vocational Training Improvement Project (VTIP): The Project envisages upgradation of 400 Government ITIs. 34 States /Union Territories (UTs) are participating under the project. An amount of Rs. 1633 crore, including 75% Central and 25% State share (90:10 for North Eastern States) has been released for the purpose.

4. Upgradation of existing Government ITIs into Model ITIs: Under the scheme, existing Government ITI in a State is upgraded as Model ITI. An amount of Rs. 85 crore, including 70% Central and 30% State share (90:10 for North Eastern States) has been released for the purpose.
5. Upgradation of 1396 Government ITIs through Public Private Partnership (PPP): A total of 1227 Government ITIs have been covered in 31 States/UTs. Interest free loan amounting to Rs. 3067.50 crore @Rs 2.50 crore / ITI was released directly to the Institute Management Committees (IMCs) Society of ITIs. The release of funds ended in March 2012.

(b) The procurement of tools and equipment are done by State/UTs. No anomalies have been reported in purchase of equipment/ machinery by the State Governments.